# IN INTERCITY FLIGHT

### Aviator Accepts Prize Offer for Trip to Baltimore and Return.

With a \$10,000 prize in sight, Claude Grahame-White, the English aviator, who will give exhibitions in the air at the Bennings race track next Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, will make every effort to fly to Baltimore and back without stopping, that being the condition upon which the money is to be won.

White accepted the offer today and made final arrangements for the trip. If the flight is successful it will establish a record for a continuous long-distance air voyage. While long er flights have been made the birdmen had the privilege of stopping.

A Bleriot monoplane for Grahame White arrived in Washington yester-day, and when he comes to Washington Tuesday he will bring several

others with him. The Englishman will race an automobile around the track each day during the meet at Benning, flying about 100 feet in the air, and will introduce novelties in the form of quick starting, liding and dropping several hundred heet with his engines shut off.

During the exhibition the aviator wil take passengers up with him. Many army officers have been tendered invitations, and several of them will fly. J. S. Berger, promoter of the meet, today extended invitations to scientific societies of Washington to be present, and many officials of the Aero Club of America have promised to attend.

### **HEAVY RAINS DELAY** WASHINGTON MEET

Because of the heavy rains of last week, which have delayed preparations at the College Park field, the Aero Ecientific Club has postponed its ama-teur aviation meet until Wednesday

Work on the runaway and grandstand was to have been started Saturday but was delayed until this morning. A large corps of workmen is busy at the park today preparing the field for as insurgent as he was in Kansas, and

Governor Crothers, of Maryland, has promised the officers of the club to be at the field at the opening of the meet. General Allen, chief of the S'gnal Corps of the United States Army, and Major Squires, of the Signal Corps, have also

promised to witness the flights. Rex Smith, of Washington, has his aeroplane on the field, and is today assembling its parts. He will probably make several practice flights before the opening of the meet on Wednesday. The aeroplane of John H. Smidley and Robert Moore, which are at present at Benning, will be brought to College Park tomorrow in preparation for the meet. E. H. Young, president of the Aero Scientific Club, has received promises from Mr. Gill, of Baltimore, and from aviators from Norfolk and Philadelphia that they will come to the meet during the early part of this week. Another entry is also expected from Washing-ton.

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Everadh Hdoechk has entered a two-man biplane glider for the contest, which will be held for gliders. Willis D. Rockwell has also entered a glider.

## DEATHS

BARBER-On Saturday, October 8, 1910, at 10:45 a.m., at Providence Hospital after a short illness, J. T. BARBER. Funeral at Frederick Md. Train leaves 9:10 a.m., Union Station, October 10, 1910. (Frederick papers please copy.)

BUTTS-On October 8, 1910, at 2:30 o'clock, HARRY F. BUTTS, in the fifty-fifth year his age. Funeral from his sister's, Mrs. James A. Va., Tuesday, October II, at Interment private. Kindly

BUTTS-Washington Aerie, No. 125, Fraternational Order of Eagles will attend the
funeral of Dr. H. T. BUTTS, from his sister's home, 229 North Columbus street,
Alexandria, Va., Tucsday, October II, at
\$230 p. m.

All members are requested to leave on
the 1:90 p. m. train Tucsday to meet at the
Alexandria Aerie's Hail on arriving. J. D.
Britt, Secretary. R. L. MONTAGUE,
President.

GERMAN-On Friday, October 7, 1910, at 2:45 a. m., WILLIAM GERMAN, youngest son of the late Addison and Betsey German. HILBRANDT-On Saturday, October 8, 1910.

at 12:05 a. m., at her residence, 406 Virginia avenue southeast, MARY E. HILBRANDT. KELLY-On Friday, October 7, 1910, at 11:50 a.m., at Garfield Hospital, DORA MILLER KELLY, widow of Clarence L. Kelly and daughter of Martin V. Miller. Body may be seen at 1826 L street northwest.

MILLER-On Friday, October 7, 1910, at 7:20 a. n., at his residence, Chillum, Prince George county, Md., JOHN MILLER, in the Seventy-fourth year of his age. RATTO-On Saturday, October 8, 1910, at 6:45 p. m., at his residence, 928 E street northwest, STEVEN G., husband of the late

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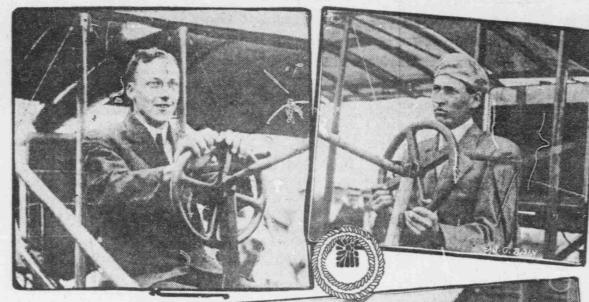
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# SARATOGA TARIFF

At Friends' Plea, Colonel Will Repudiate New York Plank.

(Continued from First Page.)

criticised by the wholesale among the progressives all over the country are the tariff plank in the New York platform and the indorsement of Presi

dent Taft. Colonel Roosevelt learned today that Col. William J. Bryan is to follow him in Indiana, and that Bryan is predict ing Roosevelt in Indiana will be half twice as insurgent as in Saratoga.

This is expected to stir Colone Roosevelt to seek to show that he has been consistent, and has not "thrown down" the insurgents by his course at the New York State convention.

Of course, Colonel Roosevelt cannot be expected to come out and say he repudiates the Taft plank in the New York platform. On this, therefore, he will keep silent. If he follows the wishes of some of his friends, however, he will in the course of this trip give his indorsement to the insurgent Sen ators and Representatitves in Congress who have been fighting for progressive policies in terms stronger than he has used at any time yet.

It has been pointed out that he can do this appropriately when he gets to In-diana and speaks for Senator Beyeridge.

Colonel Roosevelt was not expected to speak out as to the New York tariff plank thus early in his swing around the circuit. He intended to do so when he got to St. Louis or Indianapolis. But yesterday Gifford Pinchot met him at Rome, Ga., and went with him to Atlanta.

Mr. Pinchot talked frankly with the colonel on the question of the feeling aroused on the tariff plank. Just what Mr. Pinchot said is not known, but there is reason to believe he talked straight from the shoulder and let Mr. Roosevelt know it would be extremely damaging to the progressive movement and to Roosevelt himself all through the West unless he found a way to square himself and make it clear to the pro gressives that he was neither responsible for the tariff plank in the Saratoga platform nor in sympathy with it.

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The colonel has been told the progressives are aroused over the New York platform just as much in California and on the Pacific coast as they are in the Middle West. He has even been told that one or two States where insurgent sentiment is strong may be thrown to the Democrats on account of it.

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Before Colonel Roosevelt left New
York he said in Brooklyn he would have
written the New York tariff plank differently if he had had his way about
it. But he has found that litle attention it. But he has found that lifte attention has been given to this statement throughout the the country. Not only did Mr. Pinchot speak out strongly on the matter yesterday, but some of the colonel's best friends in Atlanta told him that he was being criticised in the South by progressives, who did not like the Saratoga expressions on tariff and on the Administration. What has made him most trouble is



EUGENE ELY,

Chosen By Other Entrants In Race To New York to Make the Flight Alone.

the notion that he was absolute mas-ter at Saratoga. I'e says he was not. Mr. Pinchot in his talk with the col-onel confirmed what Senator Cummins told him before he left New York as to Western feeling. It has been point-ed out that Colonel Roosevelt's trio into the South thus far has made it quite clear that Mr. Tatt's political managers need not bank on getting a solid dele-need not bank on getting a solid deleteed not bank on getting a solid dele-ation from these States in 1912. Aside rom its bearing on this the trip has hus far assumed chief importance in

any long speeches. He appeared on the platform of his car at times, shook hands with the people, and said a few

words of greeting.

A report went out last night that his health was suffering. The colonel thought this a loke. As a matter of fact, he is feeling fine and in the best of health, though his voice bothers him at times and he is taking as good care of it as he can.

thus far assumed chief importance in affording Roosevelt a chance to allay criticisms as to the New York platform and to preach the new nationalism and explain away misunderstandings and explain away excellent as a fat reducer, being able, it is claimed, to take off at possible and are finite for a fat provided in the proper amount to take is ½ ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 3½ ounces Pep



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Aviator Ely to Have Convoy for First Stage of Trip.

CHICAGO, Oll., Oct. 2.-Everything is ready for Eugene Ely, the premier flyof the Curtiss aviation school, to take the air this afternoon in compan with J. A. D. McCurdy and Charles F. Willard from the Hawthorne race track In an attempt to win the \$30,990 cash prize offered for a consecutive flight to New York, to be accomplished in seven days.

A gallery of 10,000 people awaits the starting of the big biplanes.
Originally planned as a race between he airmen, the flight resolved itself in-

the airmen, the flight resolved itself into an endurance contest and a race against a time limit by one man. It is the plan that Willard and McCurdy shall act as a conseror during the first fifty miles, then they will elight, their machines taken to pieces, and the parts distributed to the various scheduled landing places, to be used in assuring the success of Ely, who was selected by lot to atempt the trip.

Following a disagreement between the promoters and the aviators because of the failure of the other scheduled contestants who had signified their intention of competing to make their appearance the plan to enter only one Curtiss man was decided upon. The Times and Fost at first demurred about accepting theh conditions proposed by the Curtiss men, who were the only ones to enter machines, but technicalities were waived

at the last minute and with the arrival of Glenn Curtiss from Hammondsport an amicable agreement was reached be-

an amicable agreement was reached between the various partles.

It had been expected that Grahame-White, Mars, Hamilton, James Radiey, and "Tod" Schreiver would compete, but they falled to appear.

It will not be the object of Ely to try and break the sustained record flight during his transcontinental trip. He will make the trip in easy stages, stopping at various points, keeping his biplane in fit condition to insure the winning of the prize.

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